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SUBJECT: OJUKWU VISIA

REF: ABIDJAN 1820 (NOTAL), LAGOS 2336 (NOTAL)

1. ACCORDING TO AN IRISH NEWSPAPER, EXILED FORMER BIAFRAN LEADER OJUKWU MADE A SHORT VISIT TO IRELAND RECENTLY TO "JAW ABOUT THE OLD DAYS" WITH NOVELIST FREDERICK FORSYTH WHO LIVES IN THE WICKLOW HILLS OUTSIDE DUBLIN. ACCORDING TO THE ARTICLE, OJUKWU FLEW FROM ABIDJAN TO ROME WHERE HE SPENT SEVERAL DAYS WITH FORSYTH, THEN THE TWO OF THEM FLEW TO DUBLIN. OJUKWU THEN RETURNED TO ABIDJAN VIA PARIS. OJUKWU MUST HAVE OBTAINED HIS IRISH VISA IN ROME, SINCE THE ONLY RESIDENT IRISH MISSION IN AFRICA IS LOCATED AT LAGOS. SINCE OJUKWU APPEARS TO BE MOVING AROUND EUROPE, IT MIGHT BE ADVISABLE TO REPEAT ANY ADVISORY OPINION ON A US VISA TO EUROPEAN POSTS. CURLEY

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